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the fugitive slave bill, proposed in the House January 29, by Mr. Ashley, of Ohio, as a substirete for the bill on that subject reported by Mr. Corwin, from the Committee of thirty

are the same as in Mr. Corwin's bill. The parts in roman are the new matters proposed by Mr. Ashley. With this explanation the reader can understand the nature of the changes intended

rested owes labor or service to the claimant, ac-cording to the laws of any other State, Terri-tory, or the District of Columbia, and escaped therefrom, it shall be the duty of said court, judge, or commissioner, on the application of said fugitive, to determine by testimony the value of such services or labor, admitted or proved to be due as aforesaid, and if the person to be included shall not received to the control of the so claimed shall pay or cause to be paid to the court, judge, or commissioner, the value in money of such services or labor within ten days after such decision, it shall be the duty of said time specified, to the court, judge, or commis-sioner, the value in money of the services or labor so proved or admitted to be due the claimant, said court, judge, or commissioner, shall make out and deliver to the claimant, or his

trict Courts of the United States, having jurisdiction.

Sec. 4. And be it further enacted, That no citizen of any State shall be compelled to aid the marshal or owner of any fugitive in the capture or detention of such fugitive, unless where force is employed or reasonably apprehended, to prevent such capture or detention, too powerful to be resisted by the marshal or owner; and the fees of the commissioners appointed under the act of eighteenth September, eighteen hun dred and fifty, shall be ten dollars, for every case of a fugitive from labor heard and determined by such commissioner.

Sec. 5. And be it further enacted, That all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the proacts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act, be, and the same are hereby

* And, if the judge or court be not satisfied with the verdict, he may cause another jury to be impaneled forthwith, whose verdict shall be final.

A lady in Montreal, who died from softening of the brain, on Friday, assured her physician, the day before, that she would die the time she actually did.

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A petrified tree has been discovered at Pike's standing in a natural position, as if grow-It measures 12 feet in diameter, and two pieces (one weighing 3,000 lbs.) were broken off, and will probably be brought to New York

Mr. Whitcomb, o. Mesardis, a few days ago, while hunting on Big Machias stream, above Ashland, Maine, fell in with a herd of bull noose, six in number, and, without running them, managed to creep upon one after another, till he killed five of the six.

A little ragged child was heard to cull from the Antheragged child was heard to call from the window of a mean-looking house to her oppo-site neighbor, "Please, Mrs. Miller, mother's best compliments, and if it is fine weather, will you go a-begging with her to-morrow?"

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Turnday, January 29, 1861.—By unanimous consent Mr. Ashbey offered the following amendment to the act reported by Mr. Corwin to amend "the Act for the Rendition of Fugitives from Labor;" which was ordered to be printed.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That every person arrested under the laws of Congress for the rendition of fugitives from labor shall be produced before a court, judge, or commissioner, mentioned in the law, approved the eighteenth of September, eighteen hundred and fifty, for the State or Territory wherein the arrest is made; and upon such production of the person, together marshal of the State from which said fugitive is alleged to have escaped a certificate acknowledging that said alleged fugitive had been detiwered to him, giving a minute description of said alleged fugitive, which certificate shall be authenticated by the United States district judge, or a commissioner of a United States court for said State from which said fugitive was alleged to have escaped, which certificate shall be filed in the office of the clerk of the United States District Court for the State or district in which said alleged fugitive was seized, within sixty days from the date of the arrest of said fugitive; and should said marshal fail to comply with the provisions of this act, he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be State or Territory wherein the arrest is made; and upon such production of the person, together with the proofs, mentioned in the sixth or the tenth section of said act, such court, judge, or commissioner, shall proceed to hear and consider the same publicly, allowing the party claimed the benefit of counsel; and if he or she admit the service or labor claimed to be due, or if deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punished by a fine of one thousand dollars, and imprisoned for six months, and until his said fine is paid.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That if in any trial as herein provided, the jury fail to find for the claimant, it shall be the duty of said after a hearing of the case, the court, judge, or for the claimant, it shall be the duty of said court or judge to deliver to the alleged fugitive, or to his or her attorney, a certificate of discharge, which certificate or a certified copy of the record of said court in the case, shall be a bar to any proceeding of a like character before any court or commission in any State, Territory, or the District of Columbia, against the person so discharged, if commenced by the same party or any person claiming his or her services or labor, by any alleged contract, indenture, purchase, or inheritance, from any one of the parties whose claim or TITLE may have been passed upon and adjudged adversely by a commissioner, is of opinion that the person ar-rested owes labor or service to the claimant, ac-

court, judge, or commissioner, to receive said money, and pay the same over to the claimant, taking a receipt therefor, provided said claimant shall file with said court, judge, or commissioner, a deed of emancipation or release of missioner, a deed of emancipation of said party, all claim to the service or labor of said party, before the payment of the money; and if the claimant shall refuse to comply with this provision, said court, judge, or commissioner, shall nevertheless cause to be made out and delivered to the party so depositing the money for his or her freedom or release from the service or labor claimed, a certificate of discharge, and the facts claimed, a certificate of discharge, and the facts, together with a full description and age of the person shall be entered at large in a book to be kept for that purpose, and the fugitive shall be free and released from all legal obligations to serve said claimant, and this certificate of discharge or a certified copy of the record shall be a bar to all proceedings of a like character in any court against said party, either by said claimant or any person or persons claiming under him. But if the party so adjudged to owe service or labor shall fail to pay within the time specified, to the court, judge, or commis-

of the parties whose claim or TITLE may have been passed upon and adjudged adversely by a court and jury as provided in this act.

SEC. 3. And be it further enacted, That if any person or persons shall arrest or cause to be arrested, under the provisions of this act, any free person or persons, on pretence that he or she is a fugitive escaping from service or labor, or shall kidnap them and carry or sell them into slavery, or shall purchase any person or persons knowing them to be free, or to have or persons knowing them to be free, or to have been kidnapped, every person so offending shall been kidnapped, every person so offending shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction in any court of the United States having juris-diction, shall be punished by a fine of not less than one nor more than five thousand dollars for each and every offence, and be imprisoned until the fine is paid, and any person or per-sons arresting, kidnapping, or purchasing, any free person, knowing them to be free, with the intent to enslave them, shall be liable in civil damages to the person so arrested or kidnapped, his or her agents or legal representatives, in his or her agents or legal representatives, in suits at law, to be recovered in any of the Dis-trict Courts of the United States, having jurismake out and deliver to the claimant, or his agent, a certificate stating those facts; and if the said fugitive shall, upon the decision of the court, judge, or commissioner, being made known to him, still aver that he is free, and does not owe service or labor according to the law of the State or Territory to which he is to be returned, such averment shall be entered upon the certificate, and the fugitive shall be delivered by the court induce or commissioner. In the warshall court, judge, or commissioner, to the marshal, to be by him taken and delivered to the marshal of the United States for the State or district from which the fugitive is ascertained to have fled, who shall produce said fugitive before one of the judges of the circuit court of the United States for the last mentioned State or district, whose duty it shall be, if said alleged fugitiv

shall persist in his accriment, to assign council to him or her, and proceed forthwith, if the party charged with being a fugitive is prepared for trial, and if not, owing to the absence of material witnesses or any other cause which shall be satisfactory to the court, then at the next regular term of the Circuit Court to cause a jury to be impaneled and sworn to try the issue as in other cases, whether such fugitive owes labor or service to the person by or on be-half of whom he is claimed, and a true verdict give according to the evidence, on which trial the fugitive shall be entitled to the aid of counsel, and to process for procuring evidence at the cost of the United States; and it shall be obli-

gatory upon the claimant to prove by disinter-

ested witnesses, that the party so claimed owes the services or labor, and the person arrested

shall not be required to prove that he or she does not owe the services or labor claimed,

and upon such judgment by said jury— The judge shall render judgment, and cause said fugitive to be delivered to the claimant, or

returned to the place where he was arrested, at the expense of the United States, according to

the finding of the jury; and if returned, said court or judge shall forthwith, without further

process, issue execution against said claimant for the expenses so incurred by the United States. And, if the claimant or alleged fugitive

are not satisfied with the finding of the jury, they may enter a motion for a new trial, which motion shall be heard and determined by the

court or judge, and either party may, on any trial, except to the ruling or charge of the judge, as in other cases; and may have writ of

error to the Supreme Court, wherein the same shall thereafter be heard and determined. And,

until the final determination of the case, the

trained of his or her liberty by the claimant or

his agent, but shall, if the appellant be the fugitive, be required to give bond, with good

and sufficient surety, to the satisfaction of the

court or judge, in any sum, not to exceed fif-teen hundred dollars, for his or her appearance

at every term of said court until the case is disposed of; and if it be the claimant who is

the appellant, he shall also be required to give bond, with good and sufficient surety, in any

sum not less than one thousand nor more than

party claimed as a fugitive shall not be

may determine; and, until the final determination of the case, the court or judge shall make
such an order respecting the custody of the
party arrested as justice may require: Provided,
always, That the party so arrested shall have
the right to demand a release from custody or
imprisonment, at any time, on giving bond,
with good and sufficient surety, in any sum not
to exceed fifteen hundred dollars, conditioned
for his or her appearance, from time to time,
and that he or she will abide the final judgment of the court; and it shall be the duty of
the court or judge before whom any fugitive
from service or labor may be brought, to accept
such bail at any time when tendered, and issue
an order to discharge from prison or the custody of any party having them in charge, by
direction of any court, judge, or commissioner.

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